Hyrum Bates first built the home & barns etc which later became the "Herbert Auerbach Ranch."

However, Neils Larson took over the ranch after Hyrum Bates before Auerbach's obtained it

John William Jordan leased this same ranch, even later.

Current owner is Miss Auerbach of New York City.

Children of Hyrum Bates were:
Art Bates

The Baird Bridge over Provo River was located south of the Hyrum Bates Home & out houses.

Canal Spillway from
Weber River to Provo River =
dividing line between Summit
& Wasatch County
This canal was built
in about 1942

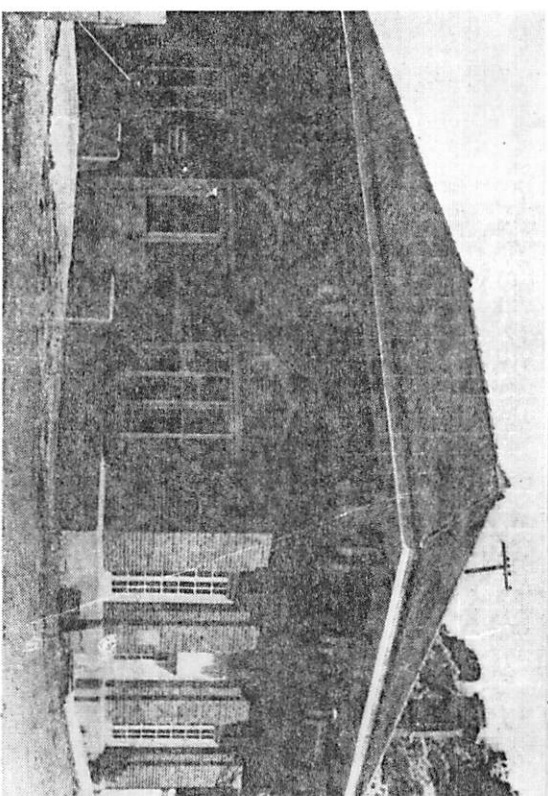
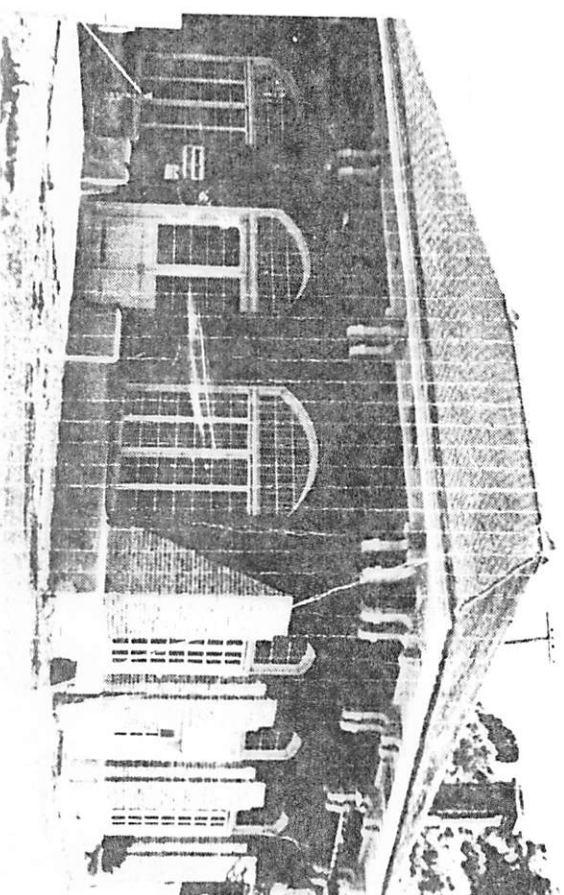
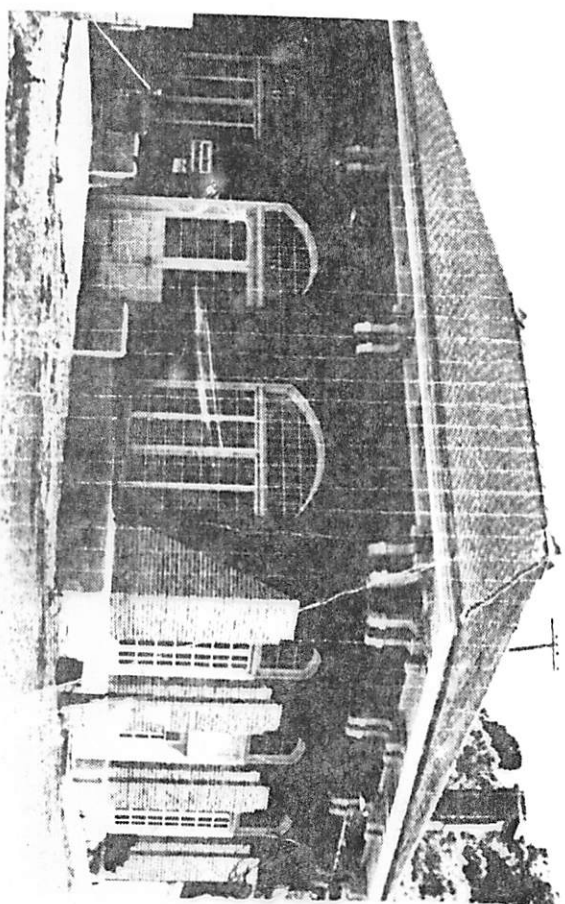
Murdock Power Plant of the Utah Power & Light Co.

Murdock Plant Dismantled

by Emmet Miller

The Murdock Power Station, a small hydro plant on the upper Provo River, is the most recent casualty in the march of progress. The properties of Murdock have recently gone on the block to be sold to the highest bidder.

This station was acquired by UP&L Jan. 1, 1913, when the properties of the Knight Consolidated Power Co. were purchased by UP&L.

Many employes and their families have fond memories of their time at the Murdock plant. The last two power company families to live at Murdock, the J. C. (Dick) Millers and the Wendell Dukes, transferred to Salt Lake in the fall of 1958.

Murdock Power Station, shown here, has been dismantled and sold.

Homes of the Maintenance Men
and Plant Operators of the
Murdock Power Plant in Hailstone

Old road from Hailstone hugged the low hills to the north of present (1989) highway, & ran east

This also is where earlier homes were built close to that road.

It finally reach the old Lemon Dugway. & ran up that hill to Francis Utah, past a fine spring ~~of~~ cold & sweet water.

Some of the homes along that road from Hailstone to Francis were:

Murdock Power Plant Homes. } North of present highway
Thad Turnbow }

Lower Bates — South

William Henry Walker log double Cabin — South

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